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**ELECTION** 

Sir:

This is in response to the United States Patent and Trademark Restriction Office Action mailed August 4, 2010, which response is being made on or before September 4, 2010, and for which no extension of time fee is due.

Applicants hereby elect Group I, namely Claims 1-16, 18-22, 26-29 and 32-37, drawn to an apparatus for treating urinary incontinence and a method of using the apparatus.

Applicants reserve the right to file, at a later date, additional divisional applications claiming priority from the present application which are directed to the non-elected Group.

Respectfully submitted,

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